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China

May 12 – 27
3 HOURS CREDIT

Study Abroad
in China:
Sport and
Exercise Science

Sponsored by
the Department
of Kinesiology
and Health



Beijing, China

TENTATIVE ITINERARY

Highlights of the program are provided below. The university reserves the right to alter travel and other arrangements if required by circumstances.

- Chinese language and culture classes
- Traditional Taichi classes
- Traditional Chinese medicine theory class
- Chinese massage, acupuncture and cupping classes
- Teaching English and learning Chinese with Chinese students
- Exercise and sports with Chinese students
- Historical sites (Great wall, Forbidden city, etc.)
- Olympic plaza (Bird's nest, water cube, etc.)
- Local markets (Silk market, Pearl market, etc.)



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APPLICATION DEADLINE: December 8, 2014
Because program size is limited, early application is strongly advised. Individual interviews may be scheduled with students upon receipt of application.

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THE PROGRAM

Study Abroad in China: Sport and Exercise Science provides a unique opportunity to students who are interested in learning an international perspective on sport and exercise science. Participants will experience a two-week cultural immersion at Beijing Sport University, our host university in Beijing and the top university on sport and exercise science in China.

Participants will explore Chinese culture by taking Chinese language and history classes, Taichi classes, and traditional Chinese medicine and message classes. Participants will also have plenty of opportunities of interacting and playing sports with Chinese students. In addition, participants will visit historical and cultural sites such as the Great Wall, the Forbidden City, the temple of heaven and the Olympic Plaza, among others. Participants will learn the similarities and differences in sport/exercise and its cultural influence between China and the U.S., and also study the impact of the Beijing Olympic Games on sport and exercise in China.

Beijing, China: Sport and Exercise Science

ACCOMMODATIONS

Participants will stay in comfortable, double occupancy rooms at the International Student House at Beijing Sport University.

Disability Accommodations

Students with documented disabilities who may need accommodations during their study abroad experience should discuss these needs with the Program Director and the Office of Disability Services at the time of application.

ELIGIBILITY

The program is open to undergraduate and graduate students who meet all academic requirements of the Georgia State University College of Education. Program size is limited and participation is contingent upon acceptance by the program director.

CREDITS AND COURSES

Participants who successfully complete the program's courses will receive three semester hours of course credit at Georgia State. Undergraduate students should register for KH3680 and graduate students should register for KH8680. Students from other institutions should follow their institution's regulations concerning transfer credits.

COST

Program cost may vary at any time according to currency fluctuations and changing travel arrangements. The program cost is tentatively set at \$3,799, **PLUS** regular Georgia State tuition and fees. Non-resident/out-of-state students will pay in-state tuition plus a \$250 fee in addition to the program cost.

Price Includes

- Round-trip airfare
- Ground transportation, excursions and entrance fees
- Meals
- Accommodation
- Health/Evacuation/Repatriation insurance
- Chinese visa application fee

Price Does NOT Include

- Georgia State tuition and fees
- Passport application fee
- Immunization
- Personal expenses and excess baggage charges

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

December 12, 2014 - \$500 deposit

January 23, 2015 - \$1,500 payment

February 27, 2015 - \$1,799 remaining balance
(all payments are non-refundable upon receipt)

Program Deposit & Payment: Participants will pay program deposits by logging into PAWS. Please contact your Program Director to confirm that a Program Deposit Account has been established for this purpose *before* you attempt to make a payment in PAWS.

Program Payments and Remaining Program

Balance: Other than the initial deposit, all program payments-along with the remaining balance-will be billed directly to your student account. Please refer to the Academic/Registration calendar for the tuition and fees deadline.

FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Georgia State students are eligible to apply for the IEF Study Abroad Scholarship/Georgia State University Foundation Scholarship and may be eligible to apply for the Global Experience Scholarship. Visit mystudyabroad.gsu.edu or contact the Office of International Affairs, Study Abroad Programs at **404-413-2529** for more information.

Contact Enrollment Services at **404-413-2400** for information on how financial aid might apply toward the program.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Students interested in applying should find this program's listing at mystudyabroad.gsu.edu and begin an application.

Transient Students: Please see *Transient Student Procedure in the Application Packet*.

International Students at Georgia State who hold F-1 visas must contact the Office of International Student and Scholar Services at **404-413-2070** to discuss the possible implications of study abroad for their immigration status.

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